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In re Application of
Miroslav Colic

Serial No.: 10/790,544

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For: Therapeutic and Prophylactic Compositions Including
Catalytic Biomimetic Solids and Methods to Prepare
and Use Them

Examiner: Xiaozhen Xie
Group Art: 1646

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted, along with the accompanying RCE, to address the
Examiner's rejections made in the October 18, 2007 Final Office Action.

PETITION

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response
period set in the Office Action of October 18, 2007. A check including the amount of \$60 in payment of the
government fee for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith so that the period for response is
extended to February 18, 2008. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the
present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

RESPONSE

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 18, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.